

# SEGNII DEL GIUBILEO

Giubileo della famiglia carismatica orionina

## Riconciliazione - Reconciliation



The Jubilee is a symbol of reconciliation because it opens a "Favourable time" (cfr. 2Cor 6,2) for personal conversion. It means putting God at the centre of one's life, moving towards Him, and recognizing His primacy. Even the call for social justice and care for the Earth found in the Bible comes from a spiritual need: since God is the Creator of the universe, He must be placed above everything else and beyond personal interests. He is the one who makes this year holy by sharing His holiness. This is lived out through the Sacrament of Reconciliation—taking advantage of this time to rediscover the value of confession and to personally receive God's word of forgiveness.

*"Don Orione offers a powerful image to reflect on: he invites us to lift our eyes in faith and see Christ coming, alive among the living, giving us life through His own life and generous redemption. He is described as radiant, wrapped in a great cloak of mercy, advancing crowned with the sign of victory. Christ carries the Church on His heart and holds in His hands the tears and blood of the poor.*

*Behind Him, the heavens open like a dawn—the beginning of God's triumph, a new humanity marked by great and universal love, where in the end, Christ wins through charity and mercy. " (Don Orione).*

The Jubilee Year is truly a time of reconciliation and renewal.

The prayer invites the Lord to help us make this year holy by placing Him at the centre of our lives. It asks for the grace to recognize and care for the gifts He gives us through others and through all creation. It also asks for the courage to look honestly within ourselves,

in His presence, so we can

fully live the Sacrament of Reconciliation—with trust in His mercy and a sincere desire to grow. Finally, it expresses a hopeful expectation for a new heaven and a new earth, all through Christ our Lord. Amen.

